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Docket No.: 057810-0091



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Takeshi YAMAMOTO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 3715

Application No.: 10/807,190 : Group Art Unit: 1753

Filed: March 24, 2004 : Examiner: Thanh Truc Trihn

For: PHOTOVOLTAIC DEVICE

## **STATUS INQUIRY**

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Sir:

The above-identified application was filed on March 24, 2004. Since more than three years have elapsed since that date, and no action has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application. It is noted that the Official Gazette indicates applications filed on or before January 28, 2005 in the above-assigned Group Art Unit should have received an action on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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